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BIRTHS EXCEED DEATHS IN APRIL

IN NODAWAY COUNTY, ACCORDING TO HEALTH REPORT

DEATHS LED 2 MONTHS

More Deaths In February and March —Much School Inspection In April

For the first time in three months, the births have exceeded the deaths in Nodaway County, according to a report of the County Health Department made this afternoon. There were fifty-three births and twenty-eight deaths for the month of April. A year ago, there were thirty-four births and twenty-eight deaths.

According to Dr. C. P. Fryer, in charge of the work in Nodaway County, a special effort has been made to examine school children before the summer vacation begins. An increase in the number of corrections was made this month.

Forty-seven educational lectures were given during the month. The attendance numbered 613, and 864 bulletins were distributed, as well as 15 newspaper articles.

Forty churches, schools and stores were inspected as well as twenty-three private premises.

There were twenty-three quarantines made during the month and thirty-one visits were made to persons with communicable diseases.

Twelve hundred cows were given the tuberculin test. Altogether, 6200 cows in Nodaway County have been tested.

There were two anti-smallpox vaccinations made during the month.

One case of child hygiene was given advice and one home hygiene visit was made.

Nine babies and children were examined and nine mothers received office consultations. Fifteen visits were made to new mothers.

463 school children were examined, 375 of which were found to be defective. The total defects numbered 779, and 123 corrections were found.

The local board made forty visits to schools during the month, and seventeen class drills were held.

There were more cases of scarlet fever during the month than any other disease. Ten cases of this were reported. This is the same number which was reported for April, 1922. Chickenpox was next in prominence, with seven cases reported. There were four cases of diphtheria, one case of smallpox and one case of whooping cough.

One death resulted from pneumonia and three from influenza.

Maryville People to Teach in St. Joe

School Board Yesterday Elects Many Maryville People and S. T. C. Students as Teachers

Many Maryville people, former residents and graduates of the State Teachers College here, were elected to teach in the St. Joseph schools at a meeting of the school board yesterday afternoon. Fred Vandersloot, a former resident and graduate of S. T. C., was re-elected principal of the Benton High School at a salary of $3,500. Vandersloot has been connected with the St. Joseph schools for seven years and has been principal of the South Side high school for the past three years.

Two members of the summer graduating class of the Teachers College, were elected to teaching positions there. They are Miss Letha Sutterfield and Miss Lethel Gartin. Dr. Lester Gartin, a brother of Miss Lethel Gartin, was re-elected dentist in the hygiene department. The following are former Maryville people or college students elected to teaching positions there yesterday:

High school teachers—Miss Calla Varner, Miss Lillian R. James, Miss Vera Tilson.

Elementary principals—Miss Della Nash, Miss Eva Montgomery.

Elementary teachers—Mrs. Caroline Leet, Miss Helen Dean, Miss Mamie Kane, Miss Blanche Erickson, Miss Letha Sutterfield, Miss Mabel Stewart, Miss Ella Hazelrigg, Miss Nell Tobin, Miss Mayme Dooley, Miss Loretta Gex, Miss Ruby Irwin.

Substitute elementary teachers—Miss Grace McAnulty, Mrs. Henry Toel.

Elementary teacher—E. O. Boone, (colored.)

Local Tracksters to Maysville Meet

High School Team Will Close Season Today at Maysville—Have Won Three Cups.

Twelve members of the local high school track team left this morning for Maysville, where they will compete in the track and field meet given there today. The following men made the trip: Captain Smith, O'Banion, Masters, Cockayne, Willoughby, Smith, Gaugh, Aley, Vickery, Murray, Hildreth, Kissinger and Robert Godsey. The trip was made in automobiles.

This will be the last meet of the season for the Maryville boys. Three cups are given at Maysville, a mile relay cup, a half mile relay cup, and a meet cup. The high school relay team has won three relay cups this season. These were won at the Tarkio, Albany and Maryville meets.

NUTRITION WORK TO BEGIN HERE

RED CROSS DIRECTOR HERE TODAY MAKING PLANS

TEXAS WOMAN TO COME

Miss Louise Larsen of Bonham, Tex., Will Have Charge—To Be Here June 1

Miss Efale Brown, director of nutritution service of the southwest division office of the Red Cross at St. Louis, arrived in Maryville this morning to arrange for nutrition work to be done in Nodaway County. It is planned to start the nutrition work here about the first of June.

Miss Louise Larsen of Bonham, Texas, will be in charge of the work here. She has been conducting nutrition organization work in Texas during the past two years. Miss Larsen is a graduate of the University of Minnesota home economics department, and specialized in medical dietetics.

In her work here she will co-operate with the Nodaway County Health Department and with the State Teachers College. Her work, which will be mainly in the rural communities, will be to teach the relation of the proper selection of food to health. In the rural communities she will stress the importance of proper selection of food for school lunches. Mothers' nutirtion classes will be conducted in rural communities this summer.

In the fall, Miss Larsen's work will be largely through the schools. Proper food will be prescribed for children underweight and other defects, caused by improper food, will be eliminated.

Miss Brown, in talking of the work today, urged that the communities cooperate with Miss Larsen. "The more a community puts into the work, the more it will get in benefits," she said. Miss Brown will leave tonight for St. Louis. Miss Larsen will spend at least six months in the work here.

Masonic School of Instruction Held

Jonathan Stark and A. L. Nash have just returned from St. Joseph where they attended the Masonic school of instruction held there Monday and Tuesday.

This school was held at the Masonic Temple. Bert S. Lee of Springfield, Mo., grand master for Missouri, and J. R. McLachlan of Kahoka, Mo., grand lecturer were present at the meeting. More than fifty persons took the work in the school.

A banquet was given at the Temple last night in honor of the grand master. About 600 attended. Following the banquet, the Rev. H. L. Reader of Webster Groves, Mo., addressed a joint meeting of the five St. Joseph blue lodges on "The Symbolism of Masonry." A musical program was given by a saxaphone quartet and a male quartet.

A dinner at the Hotel Robidoux was also given last night in honor of the grand officers. In addition to the grand master and grand lecturer, Joseph McIntyre of St. Louis, deputy grand master, Orestes Mitchell of St. Joseph, grand senior warden; George L. Markley of St. Joseph, district deputy grand master, and the Rev. C. Hely Molony of St. Joseph, grand chaplain, were guests at the dinner.

ALL SET FOR THE M.I. A. A. CLASSIC

145 ATHLETES FROM 13 SCHOOLS ARE ENTERED.

TENNIS ON THURSDAY

Four of Local Entries Will Leave for Tarkio Tomorrow and the Rest on Friday.

(Special to the Democrat-Forum)

Tarkio, Mo., May 16.—With 145 athletes entered from thirteen schools in the State the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association track meet and tennis tournaments which start here tomorrow promise of being the classic of Northwest Missouri for this spring. The big affair will start at 10:30 tomorrow morning with the beginning of the tennis tournaments. Eight teams have been entered in doubles and seven will compete in singles. A loving cup will be given to the player winning the singles tuorney and a silver medal to the runner-up. In doubles the two winning players will be given gold medals and the two runners-up will receive silver medals.

At 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the preliminaries in the 440 yard dash will be held. This will complete the events for Thursday.

Friday morning at 9 o'clock the meet will start. Preliminaries will be run off in the 100-yard dash, the 220-yard dash and the high and low hurdles.

At 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon the athletes will assemble on the Tarkio College field for the annual M. I. A. A. meet. This is expected to be one of the fastest meets in the history of the M. I. A. A. Two record holders of the conference will be present. They are Clark of Missouri Wesleyan, who holds a mark of 15 4-5 seconds in the 120-yard high hurdles and Steinman of Central Wesleyan, who last year heaved the javelin for a distance of 164 feet, 9 inches.

"Keedy" Campbell of Kansas City will be the starter and referee of the meet and will have charge of the tennis tournaments. Harry Mudd, of the Lowe-Campbell Sporting Goods Co. in Kansas City will be the clerk of the course.

According to dope the meet should be a tough tussle between the Springfield Teachers College and Tarkio for high honors. The Springfield mainstay is Collins while Cavin is booked to put in the best licks for Tarkio.

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be given to the winners in each event.

The schools entered in the meet are Drury, Springfield, Central Wesleyan, Missouri Wesleyan, Culver Stockton, William Jewell, Maryville, Kirksville, Cape Girardeau, Missouri Valley, Tarkio and Warrensburg. Westminster College does not have a track team and the school term is over at the Rolla School of Mines.

In the tennis tourneys Tarkio, Maryville, Springfield, Central, Drury, Culver Stockton, William Jewell and Warrensburg are entered.

Four of the Maryville College contestants will leave for Tarkio tomorrow and the remainder of the team will leave Friday morning. Steiger and Mapel, the tennis entries and Davenport and Smith, who will run the 440-yard dash, will leave with Earl Miller, coach of tennis, at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The men who will go Friday are Roby, Allan, Davenport, Smith, LaMar, Holt, Young, Culp, Gibson, Ellis, Wilson, Hays and Akars.

Results of the meet will be obtainable at the Democrat-Forum.

V. F. W. Campaign Is Meeting With Success

Members of the local Veterans of Foreign Wars organization report that the campaign for the new club building is meeting with success. Yesterday $240 was subscribed for the purchase of a lot. This amount was collected from only members of the club, as the county-wide campaign will be for the building. Those in charge of the movement say that they hope to have sufficient funds pledged by Saturday night to purchase the lot on which the new building will be erected.

ART O'BRIEN, IRISH, IS FUGITIVE ARRESTED

London, May 16—Art O'Brien, who had been an accessory in the deportation of Irish to England, was arrested here today. Another arrest was made at Scotland Yards.

Commercial Treaties Planned for Nations

Negotiations Under Way to Arbitrate Business Disputes—Hoover and Hughes Plan It.

Washington, May 16.—Negotiations of a series of commercial treaties between the United States and the principal nations of the world providing for the settlement of business disputes by arbitration, has been proposed to Secretary of State Hughes by commercial bodies and trade associations, it became known today.

At the same time Secretary of Commerce Hoover is backing a nationwide campaign to eliminate the expense of court litigation and other causes of delay in adjusting commercial differences by inserting an arbitration clause in all business contracts.

According to official statistics, the annual waste of perishable goods in this country, occasioned by court and other litigations, amounts to more than a billion dollars a year. Losses in other materials and goods shipped for foreign trade is estimated to be more than double the billion dollars.

Joe Jackson, Jr. "Seeing the World"

Son of First National Bank President Is Halted in His Trip at Kansas City.

Kansas City, May 16.—Even bank presidents spank their sons. At least that is the impression gained by the police at the Nineteenth Streeth Police Station today from Joseph Jackson, Jr., son of Joseph Jackson, president of the First National Bank of Maryville, Mo.

Young Jackson, wearing his first long trousers, was arrested at the Union Station, after a patrolman had noticed him loitering about the station the greater part of last night.

The boy readily admitted to the patrolman that he had run away from home. After making known his identity, he explained that he had taken the family's car out for a spin against the wishes of his mother and was afraid to go home fearing his father would spank him.

"It is a good thing that you stopped me when you did, I just got the idea that I might as well keep on traveling and see the world," Young Jackson said.

The boy wore an expensive suit. He showed the police a savings account book showing deposits amounting to $689.

The parents of the boy have been notified. The boy is being held at the Nineteeth Street police station.

Germany Will Make New Reparation Offer

Berlin, May 16—Germany will make fresh reparation proposals after consulting with Great Britain, it was learned from an authorative source today.

School Report Shows 1,217 Pupils Here

According to a census report of the Maryville school district, filed with the county clerk this afternoon, there are 1,217 school children in the district. The whites number 1,191 and the colored 26. There are 633 white girls and 658 white boys. The colored school girls total eleven and the boys fifteen.

Orchards in County are Being Sprayed

R. A. Kinnaird, county farm agent, sprayed the orchard owned by Roy Lippman this morning. Lippman has 100 young fruit trees. Orchards belonging to S. K. Lewis of Clearmont and T. E. Archer of Conception have already been sprayed.

According to Kinnaird, the recent cold weather caused considerable damage to some orchards in the county, while others escaped unharmed.

The county farm agent said today that Cecil Stewart at Bedison reports some wheat looking in bad condition.

Allender Guests Leave

Mrs. S. N. Reep of Minneapolis, Minn., and William J. Snyder of Brazil, Ind., who motored here Sunday to visit Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Allender, left this morning for Atlantic, Ia., where they will be guests of Dr. and Mrs. Lafe Allender for a few days. They were accompanied to Atlantic by Miss Clara Sturm.

City Lot Is Sold

J. E. Bailey and wife of South Haven, Mich have sold lot one in block forty in City Company's Addition to the City of Maryville, to E. F. Stephenson. One dollar and other consideration was the price paid.

$10,000 OFFERED TO SOLVE DEATH

NORTHWESTERN WILL GIVE REWARD IN MOUNTS' DEATH

TRUSTEES MAKE OFFER

Terms Are Contained In Letter To State Attorney—Contains Four Stipulations

Chicago, May 16—The board of trustees of Northwestern University offered a cash reward of $10,000 for information leading to the solution of the death of Leighton Mounts, freshman, who vanished after the class fight in 1921. The offer was made in a letter to state attorney, Robert E. Crowe. These stipulations were made to the reward:

First: The money will be paid for information leading to the indictment or conviction of any person, or persons for the murder of Leighton Mounts.

Second: The money will be paid for any information leading to indictment or conviction of any person, or persons, for the manslaughter of Leighton Mounts.

Third: Teh money will be paid for any information leading to proof that Leighton Mounts is still alive.

Fourth: The money will be paid for any information leading to the proof that Leighton Mounts committed suicide.

Federal Reserve to Have Bank in Cuba

Washington, May 16—The state department has approved of the plans of the Federal Reserve Bank to establish a branch bank at Havana, Cuba, it was learned officially today.

Judge Dawson Will Address Law Class

Judge John M. Dawson of the Circuit Court here will go to St. Joseph May 26 to give the principal address at the tenth annual banquet of the St. Joseph Law School. Judge A. B. Duncan will be the toastmaster and Judge B. Allen, dean of the school, will preside and award the diplomas.

Tornado Death Toll in Texas Reaches 21

Colorado, Tex., May 16—Twenty-one persons lost their lives in the tornado, which swept down upon the Loraine community, west of here, Monday morning. The number of injured has reached two hundred, and many of them may die. Fully three hundred are homeless. The property loss will exceed a million dollars.

U. S. Feels That Army Occupation Cost Unjust

Washington, May 16.—The United States feels that the strong position of the allied governments taken in adjustment of the occupation army costs, as disclosed at Paris, is unjust and their decision is unfair to this country. This attitude on the part of the United States was made known officially today simultaneously with the report from Paris that the conferees on the army cost was deadlocked.

Conception High to Graduate Six

Claude R. Madison of St. Joseph To Deliver Address and Leslie Somerville To Present Diplomas

The Conception High School will graduate a class of six at the annual commencement exercises which will be held at the M. E. Church in that city Friday night. The commencement address will be given by Claude R. Madison of St. Joseph and the Shrine quartet of St. Joseph will furnish the music.

The class play, "A Family Affair" was given last Wednesday.

Those in the class are Ludema Tannehill, Mildred Parrott, Edith Martin, Chester Walters, Delbert Morrissey and Charles Shapley.

Charles Shapley is the valedictorian and Miss Ludema Tannehill is the salutatorian.

The diplomas will be presented by County Superintendent Leslie Somerville.

TEXAS MAN FALLS TO DEATH FROM THIRD FLOOR

Fort Worth, Texas, May 16—W. H. Rose of Arlington Texas, was instantly killed by a fall from the third story of a hospital here last night.

Member of German Cabinet Resigns

Berlin, May 16.—Baron von Rosenberg, a member of the governmental cabinet, has tendered his resignation over the reparation situation. The resignation has not been accepted as yet, it was learned this morning.

Wild Animal Scenes Shown at Empire

Special wild animal pictures will be shown at the Empire Theatre tomorrow, Friday and Saturday afternoons. These pictures depict the experiences of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson on the jungles of Africa. According to reports of critics, they are true to life and show many interesting and thrilling situations in the capture and killing of these dangerous beasts of the jungles. This special picture was shown in Kansas City last week.

DEMOCRATS GROOM SEN. UNDERWOOD

ALABAMA SENATOR TO BE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE

HENRY FORD MAY ENTER

Underwood Adherents See Easy Sailing With Ford Out—Claim McAdoo Is Too Weak

Washington, May 16—The first Democratic hat to be checked officially into the 1924 presidential ring, will belong to Senator Oscar Underwood of Alabama.

According to word being passed around in Democratic circles at the Capital today Underwood will do the checking for himself upon his return from Europe next month. If he does not, his friends will do it, it is said. The Underwood candidacy, long discussed, is already beginning to take on a tangible form. It is thought that a big part of the Eastern and Northern states would give him strong support because of his liberal views upon the prohibition issue.

Diligent friends of the Senator have approached Ford. With Ford out, they declare that Underwood could carry the Solid South, which added to the strength of the big metroplis states of the North, would be sufficient to carry him through his tilt with the McAdoo forces. With Ford in it, they candidly admit, it would be another story, for they concede his force to carry the greater part of the South over any man in either party. Such a political observer as Pat Harrison predicts if Ford enters the Democratic race, he will carry every state in the South with possible exception of Underwood's own state. If Ford enters the race he forsees a three-cornered race between Ford, Underwood and McAdoo, comparing to the Republican convention of three years ago between Lowden, Wood and Johnson, with dark ohrses being groomed upon the sidelines. Democratic leaders in New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts and Illinois, and other states sounding out opinion. They have been informed, it is understood, that if "favorite sons," who have been boomed, do not develop, such as Edwards of New York, or then the delegates of these states, "will be very favorably inclined" to the Alabama Senator.

The stumbling block in the boosting of his candidacy is Henry Ford. Friends of Underwood, already busy promoting his candidacy, profess to see no other man, not even W. G. McAdoo. They say that McAdoo mustered his full strength at San Francisco in 1920 and that this was not enough.

Successor to Dr. S. A. Coile Chosen

St. Louis, May 16—Rev. W. H. Kenlall of this city, yesterday was elected moderator of the St. Louis Presbytery to succeed the late Dr. Samuel A. Coile.

J. S. Casteel and wife of the Pioneer district, were Sunday visitors at the home of G. H. Null.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight, possibly light frost in west and north portions; Thursday fair with rising temperature.

CHINESE SITUATION IS MORE SERIOUS

AMERICAN MINISTER SAYS NO PROGRESS TODAY.

DEMAND LARGE RANSOM

Bandits Ask $2,000,000 for Release of Seven Foreign Prisoners Held Captive.

Washington, May 16—The Chinese situation was more serious today from the viewpoint of the United States, when Jacob Gould Schurman, American minister to Peking, reported to Secretary of State Hughes that no progress was being made in the negotiations to compel the Chinese bandits to liberate their foreign prisoners.

Peking, May 16.—Last reports from Linchen are that the bandits who are holding seven foreigners as prisoners will demand 2 million dollars as ransom for their release. The Chinese government has offered $800,000, it was reported today.

Release of the seven prisoners is hoped for by Thursday. The Peking government has become very uneasy over their safety and everything possible will be done to secure their immediate release.

Blame for the capture of the seven men is placed upon the attitude of the foreign population in China and their hostility to certain groups in the country. Cabinet members are not aware of this situation.

Hot Springs Flood Is Receding Today

Gas and Water Facilities Will be Available by Tonight, It Is Thought.

Hot Springs, Ark., May 16—Hot Springs was calmly recovering from the flood and tornado which swept through this section yesterday. The people were pumping water out of the houses and the business section of the town, and scraping mud off of the streets in an attempt to clean up the damage wrought by the swirling torrents which poured through the town.

The damage is estimated at 2 million dollars. No lives were lost as far as can be ascertained this morning. The safety of the entire population is considered miraculous by the citizens here. Within a half hour after the water began to creep into the town, it measured five feet deep in the main streets.

The Arkansas National Guard was on duty here today. It is hoped that gas and water will be available for consumption by tonight.

Ft. Smith, Ark., May 16—Traffic on the Ft. Smith & Western railway virtually was at a standstill today as a result of a washout near Hanna, Okla., which destroyed more than one thousand feet of track. No through trains have reached here over that line since early Sunday. One train from Oklahoma City Monday morning was caught between two washouts and it has not been possible to detour it, according to information received by officials here.

Rivers were reported rising rapidly throughout Northeastern Arkansas and Eastern Oklahoma. At Ft. Smith the Arkansas River had reached a stage of fifteen feet toady and a further rise of four feet was expected. Flood stage here is twenty-two feet.

Sims Defeats Miller in Golf Tournament

M. V. Sims defeated F. C. Miller this morning in the semi-finals of the golf tournament being played at the Maryville Country Club. Sims completed the course in 85 and Miller made it in 92. The unusually strong wind this morning was responsible for the high scores.

Sims will now go into the finals. His opponent will be the winner of the S. G. Gillam-"Bud" Hamilton match, being played this afternoon. F. C. Miller won his match yesterday against Clarence Vogt, the score being 43 to 47 for nine holes.

In class B there are two matches yet to be played to determine the semi-finalists.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

BOY POWER

An impressive display of the possibilities of boy power was given in New York the other day, when 90,000 boys marched through the streets in recognition of Boys' Week.

A demonstration like this suggests what a force boy power might be if you could get it organized. The boys of former years were chiefly members of idle groups and predatory gangs, who loafed aimlessly outside of school hours. Now if the boys can be induced to take part and keep step in the grand march of the nation toward patriotism and good citizenship, he possibilities suggested by the ceremonial procession of 90,000 youngsters will be translated into achievements for public welfare.

The boy of to-day realizes that he has a serious task to get ready for manhood. Boy Scouts and other organizations are doing substantial work in public enterprises. Boys may feel on some occasion that it is hard work being a boy, yet 10 times more is being done to give them healthful recreation than was done for their fathers.

AN INDIAN ARTIST

A magazine writer represents an Indian named Lone Wolf as sitting at the edge of Glacier Park, in the Rockies, absorbedly painting on canvas. As he painted the writer saw emerging the figure of an old, gaunt Indian, seated cross-legged in a tepee, gazing at a deerskin.

"What is it?" asked the writer. And the artist, whose work is winning national recognition, answered:

"Memories of an Indian who has parted with all his possessions but the deerskin. On it he is painting the story of his life. Iron Eater posed for the figure."

The painter of that picture is one of the Blackfeet Indians remaining out of the 70,000 that were living when Montana was taken from them and turned over to the whites. They never were bad Indians. Lone Wolf himself speaks for their talent. Soon there will be none of them left.

"They are grossly mistreated" says Lone Wolf. "Their ration is pitifully small. They are denied hunting and fishing." He does what he can by sharing his earnings with them, bringing them food and clothing every summer. Surely rich and powerful Uncle Sam might do a little more for them, and for the other tribes who once owned this country and are now living in want and misery.

This is the time of year to clean up and paint up.

The Kansas City Journal has moved into its new and modern home built and equipped for the production of a great and up-to-date newspaper. The Journal has made rapid strides forward since its acquisition by its present ownership.

While we are all bending our energies to make Maryville grow, there is another civic duty that goes along with it, and that is to provide those who do come here with a place to live. The housing problem in Maryville seems to be no nearer solved than it has been for the past two years. A few houses have been built by men who want to occupy them and they have in turn released a number of houses for rent, but no houses have been built to take care of the incerasing population. The demand for the past two years has been in excess of the available houses and today there are said to be many people who want houses that can not be accommodated. All citizens, the lumbermen, the builders and others should get together and see if some way can be devised to build some houses for investment. Men can not be blamed for not building for others, if the costs are inexcess of any possible income returns, but this should not be. Other towns are building to keep up with their growth. This is a serious problem that demands some serious thought on the part of our citizens who are interested in the future growth and welfare of this city.

College Girls Off on Long Walk

These two Ohio State university girls are on a hiking trip from Columbus, O., to San Francisco, Cal. They are Esther Williams, left, and Bernice Kerns, right, each twenty-five years old.

Forumettes

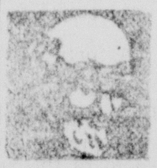
A lot of us fail to
Get what we want because
We try to get something
Without paying for it.

Many a Maryville man has made up his mind that he would show his wife who was boss and has usually found out.

Small boys throw stones at random and some of us grownups hurl words in the same way.

Our friend at the news stand tells us that two new radio magazines have appeared in the last month which goes to prove the contention that the radio is dying out is not well founded.

Now that warmer weather is here we are waiting for the announcement that more filling stations will be built in



Uncle Abner says no man is licked until he quits, so never quit.

The only reason a lot of Maryville people are good is because they have nothing else to do.

Bobbed hair remains practically "status quo." Our friend at a barber shop tells us that for every girl who lets her locks grow out another is having them shorn.

Our neighbor remarked to us the other day that "life is nothing but an endless chain of doors." He says you don't no more than get your storm doors down until you have to put up your screen doors and you hardly finish that job until the storm doors go up again.

Louise, the stenographer, says a lot of the folly in the world is parading as wisdom.

Any girl who has her small brother's O. K. is all right.

Our idea of a mean trick is when some Maryville merchant has a sale and in quoting some prices says none will be sold to dealers at those prices.

Our neighbor's wife tells us she thinks the younger generation is more progressive than the older. She says her six year old son wants her to have her hair bobbed and her husband will not listen to it.

Vagrant Musings.

He is a wise man who has sense enough to agree with his wife.

There are no sweeter words in the language than "inclosed you will find check."

You will never gain much by waiting until tomorrow.

Good intentions never get you very far.

A lot of golfers never lose their balls because they never hit them.

Today's Vaudeville Patter.

Biff—I had some trouble with my eggs at the restaurant today.

Bang—What was the matter, didn't they cook them long enough?

Biff—No, not soon enough.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Geo. J. Gould, Financier Dies at French Home

Mantone, France, May 16—George J. Gould, Sr., American millionaire, died at his villa near here. He had suffered for some time with heart weakness. He was in his sixtieth year.

Gould had been prominent in American financial circles for many years. He had been connected with the Wabash Railroad and the Western Union Telegraph Company.

Colleges Should Train in Citizenship

Washington, May 16 (Capital News Service.)—The importance of training in good citizenship was stressed at the sixth annual meeting of the American Council on Education in Washington, when the council passed resolutions advocating such training and authorized the appointment of a committee to cooperate in developing these courses.

Commissioner of Education John J. Tigert, speaking of the work being done by the Federal Council on Citizenship Training, said that a canvass is being made of the citizenship status of communities throughout the country. The survey is made through competition, each community keeping a score card showing its citizenship rating according to certain rules laid down by the Federal Council on Citizenship Training.

The scoring is based on five points; general intelligence, technical fitness, physical fitness, attitude toward government, and questions of a moral and social nature. These cards will be tabulated into a comprehensive report, available for all educational agencies that they may have first-hand knowledge of citizenship conditions in the country.

Mrs. Roy Johnston and little daughter, Jeanne, returned home last night from a week's visit in Weston and Kansas City. At the former place they visited Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Simmons, former residents of Maryville, and Mrs. Simmons accompanied them to Kansas City.

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FOR SALE BY
MARYVILLE MOTOR CO.
CLIFFORD LYNCH
(Wilcox)

Our Ninth Great Anniversary Sale

Will Start Saturday Morning, May 19th at Nine o'Clock, and Will End Saturday Night, May 26th at Nine p.m.

This is the greatest sale event held anywhere in Northwest Missouri. Hundreds & hundreds of people wait from one year's end until the other for this greatest of all merchandising value-giving events.

This year we will out-do all former events in the way of the number of wonderful bargains which we will offer. For particulars read our double page advertisement in this paper tomorrow evening in which we will try to give you a partial list of the real bargains offered.

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Perrin Kid Gloves
Zion City Laces
Pointer Brand White Goods
Betty Wales Dresses
Gossard Front-lace Corsets
Warner Rustproof Corsets
Kayser Silk Underwear and Gloves
Athena Knit Underwear
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Colonial Draperies
Cannon Towels

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Once each year we try to show our appreciation for the liberal patronage that is given us the twelve months previous by giving a sale that means a great benefit to you and without one cent of profit for ourselves and if you do not take advantage of this Great Anniversary Sale of ours it is your loss.

Remember, everything in our store is reduced in price during this Sale, no exceptions.

Haines

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Society

Marvin H. Crawford To Marry

Friends in Maryville received invitations today to the wedding of Miss Emma Dee Proctor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Proctor of California, Mo., and Mr. Marvin Howard Crawford. The wedding will take place at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 27, at the First Baptist Church in California, and immediately after the ceremony a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride-elect is a junior in the School of Education at the University of Missouri. Mr. Crawford is a graduate of the School of Journalism University of Missouri and was city editor of the Democrat-Forum for nine months last year. While serving in that capacity he made a host of friends in Maryville. He is now associated with the Daily Breeze at Taylorville, Ill.

Friendship Class

The Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock with Mrs. J. P. Cummings, 515 South Market street.

For Mrs. Lorance

Mrs. George Lorance of Des Moines Ia., was the complimented guest at a bridge given by Mrs. LeGrand Gann at her home on East Fourth street this afternoon. The guests included the members of Le Tarde Bridge Club and a few additional friends. Mrs. Lorance is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Herren, and Mr. Herren, and her brother, J. W. Toel, and Mrs. Toel.

Willard Dinner Guests

Mrs. Edward Strahlman of San Diego, Cal., who is the guest of Maryville relatives, was a 6 o'clock dinner guest Tuesday evening of Mrs. S. J. Willard and daughter, Miss Leona Willard, at their home on South Fillmore street. Miss Margaret Lee Winston was an additional guest.

For Mrs. Campbell

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Townsend and Mrs. J. M. Manley entertained several guests at 12 o'clock dinner Monday at the Townsend home on East Fourth street, complimentary to Mrs. Charles Campbell of Kansas City and John Koch of St. Joseph. Mrs. Campbell is a sister of Mr. Townsend Mrs. Manley and Mrs. C. D. Hooker of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Townsend entertained with an informal luncheon at noon yesterday for Mrs. Campbell. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hooker.

Aid Society Meets

The Ladies Aid Society of the Brethren Church west of Sheridan, met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Boyd Thursday of last week. The afternoon was spent in sewing and crocheting and planning a community chautauqua to be held at the Brethern Church in August. On the account of sickness a number was absent. Those present were Mrs. Miles Sparagur, Mrs. L. A. Walker, Mrs. M. L. Logan, Mrs. Port Dowis, Mrs. Joseph Dukes, Mrs. Preston Dowis, Misses Elda Gerrard, Ellen Dunkle, Frances Dowis, Faye Dowis, Ada Maxine Logan and the hostess. Devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Preston Dowis. The next meeting will be May 23 with Mrs. Joseph Dukes.

Mary Lawrence Circle

Mrs. June Blagg and Miss Vella Booth were hostesses to the Mary Lawrence Circle of the First Christian Church last night at the home of Miss Virginia Rose. Mrs. Blagg was leader of the program on "The Evolution of a Race." Miss Bertha Anderson discussed "Present Trend and Future Possibilities; "Miss Virginia Rose, "Training for Citizenship;" and Miss Gertrude Condon, "The Gospel the Hope of the Race." Mrs. J. B. Robinson, who was a guest of the Circle, also spoke on the subject of the evening. Following the program a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The members present were Mrs. June Blagg, Mrs. Edward Gray, Misses Bertha Anderson, Vella Booth, Gertrude Condon, Addie Hunter, Grace Langan, Verna Kennedy, Virginia Rose, Gertrude Wright, Nina Hughes and Nina Bowman. There were four visitors present.

Royal Neighbors

The Royal Neighbors will meet at 8 o'clock Friday night instead of Thursday afternoon.

Stamper Dinner Guests

Miss Louise Portman of Chicago and her sister, Mrs. J. H. Leach, will be dinner guests this evening of Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Stamper. Other guests will be Mrs. Grace Masters and children, James and Maude Kathryn. Miss Portman and Mrs. Leach, who have been spending a few days here with friends, will leave tomorrow for Los Angeles, Cal.

Hindman-Davis.

Mrs. Chester Louise Hindman of St. Joseph and Dr. Elmer R. Davis of Elmo were married at 9 o'clock last night at the Christian Church in Clarinda, Ia. The Rev. D. C. Wolfe, pastor of the Christian Church in Elmo, performed the ceremony. Dr. and Mrs. Davis will be at home in Elmo where the former is a veterinary doctor.

Knabb Country Club.

The meeting of the Knabb Country Club, which was announced for tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emmett Scott, has been postponed to Saturday when Mrs. oRss Scott will entertain the members at luncheon.

Birthday Dinner.

Mrs. LeGrand Gann entertained at dinner Tuesday evening at her home on East Fourth street, in honor of the thirteenth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Marian. The guests included Mary Donna Malotte, Beverly Martin, Emma Mae Yeo, Beatrice Puckett, Doris Walace, Winifred Todd, and Norene White.

Eight Students Finish at Harmony School

Eight students received eighth grade diplomas at the commencement exercises held at Harmony Saturday night. The following students graduated were: Maxine Rhodes, Crystal Young, Forrest Lett, Lottie Hantze, Lula Cox, Lloyd Conrad, Mildred Fanning and Neva King. The program given was as follows:

March—Mrs. Estella Porter.
America—Audience.
Prayer—Reverend Underwood.
Salutatory—Mildred Fanning.
Song, "The Quarrel"—Marie and Orville Underwood.
Reading—Junior Davis.
Reading, "Captain My Captain"—Forrest Lett.
Piano solo—Lottie Hantze.
Reading, "The Apology"—Maxine Rhodes.
Song—Lucille Lawson.
Song, "Rheumatiz"—Four boys and four girls.
Reading, "Betsy and I are out"—Crystal Young.
Reading, "An Inventor's Wife"—Beulah Wray.
Dialogue, "Fun for all"—Casteel School.
Oration, "The Two Ways"—Lloyd Conrad.
Valedictory—Neva King.
Presentation of diplomas—G. H. Null, president of school board.

908,493 in Missouri Public Schools

Jefferson City, May 16—At the present time there are 22,361 teachers employed in the public schools of the state, according to the returns furnished Charles A. Lee, state superintendent of public schools, and there are 9,281 school districts. The teachers received in wages $24,303,155 for the fiscal school year, which will close June 30, and $7644,421 was expended in operation of the schools. The total expense was $40,459,939. There was a balance on hand of $14,981,397 at the beginning of the school year.

The enrollment of the public schools stands at 908,493 pupils.

The estimated value of the school sites and buildings is placed at $91,159,879 and equipment at $8,057,781. One hundred sixty-three new school buildings were constructed last year. Pupils graduating from the state course of study total 16,086 boys and 18,741 girls.

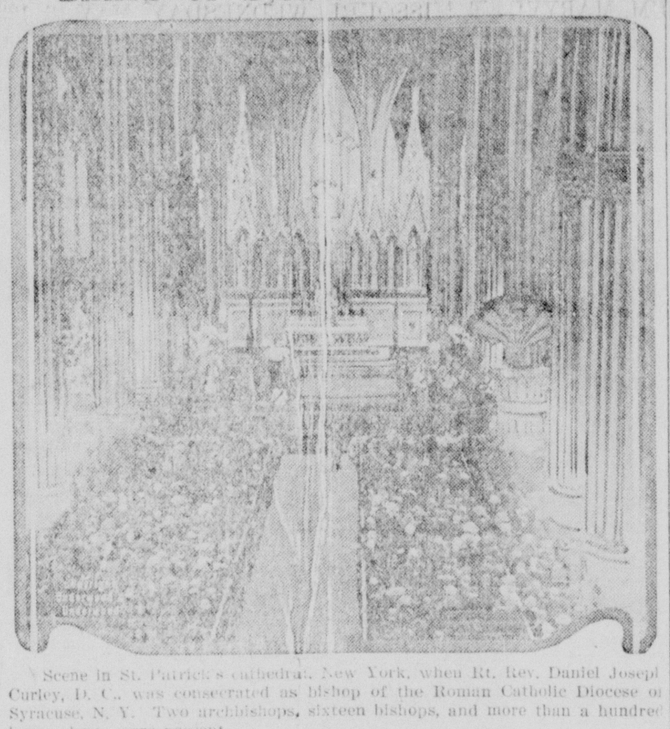
FUNERAL FOR MRS. COOK TOMORROW AFTERNOON.

Funeral services for Mrs. Miles Cook, who died at 3:10 o'clock Monday afternoon at her home in Skidmore, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the M. E. Church, South, in Skidmore. The Rev. G. W. Trotter, pastor of the church, will officiate, and burial will be in the Skidmore cemetery.

Mrs. Cook was 57 years old and was born near Graham. With the exception of one year in Colorado, she had spent her entire life in Nodaway County. Besides her husband and one son, Clarence Sharp, by her first marriage, she is survived by one sister and four brothers. They are Mrs. Cynthia Willis, Billings, Mont.; John Patton, Robert Patton, Maryville; William Patton, St. Joseph; and George Patton, San Diego, Cal.

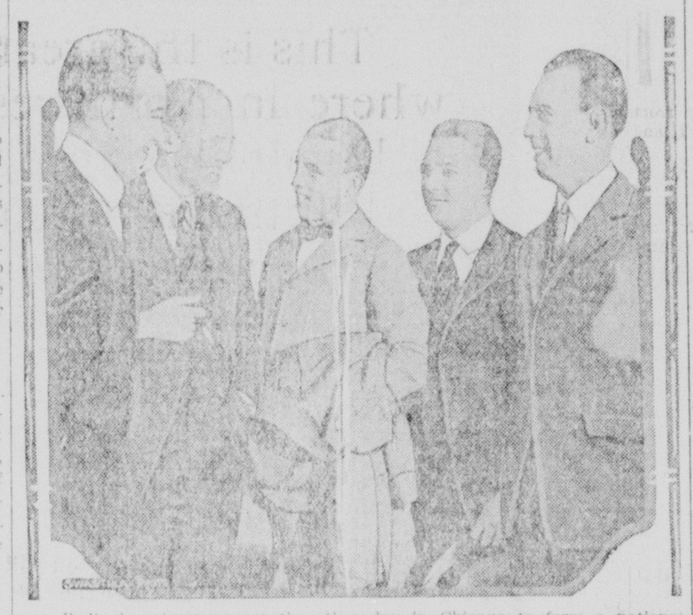
Charles Evans of Parnell and Thomas Merrigan, postmaster at Conception Junction, were Maryville visitors today.

Bishop of Syracuse Consecrated



Scene in St. Patrick's cathedral, New York, when Rt. Rev. Daniel Joseph Curley, D. C., was consecrated as bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse, N. Y. Two archbishops, sixteen bishops, and more than a hundred lesser clergy were present.

Broadcasters Form Association



Radio broadcasters met the other day in Chicago to form a national association and to combat the royalty demands of authors, composers and publishers. Here, left to right, are: Eugene F. McDonald, president Chicago Radio laboratories, temporary secretary of the National Broadcasters' association; J. Elliott Jenkins, director WDAP, a member of the committee to draft a constitution and by-laws; Wilson J. Wetherbee, director Westinghouse station KYW; Thorne Donnelly, temporary chairman, director WDAP; Powell Crosley, Jr., temporary treasurer.

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S. S. DISTRICT 8 TO MEET SUNDAY

ANNUAL MEETING TO BE HELD AT HOPKINS

MYRTLE TREE MEETING

Of District Number 9 To Be Held Same Day—Both To Elect Officers

The annual convention of district eight of the Nodaway County Sunday School Association, will be held May 20 at the M. E. Church at Hopkins. At this meeting there will be election of officers for the coming year. The outgoing officers are: F. E. Miller, O. G. Null, Mrs. Albert Mutti, Mrs. L. L. Moore, Clyde Melvin, Miss Tressie King, Mrs. John Moorehouse, and Mrs. D. A. Sargent. Mrs. Miller is the retiring president.

On the same day of this meeting the annual convention of district number nine of the county association, will be held at the Myrtle Tree Church, east of Maryville. An all-day session with a basket dinner at noon will be held here. Many from Maryville, including an orchestra, Sunday school teachers, and pastors, who may be able to come after church services.

The program for the Myrtle Tree meeting appeared in the Democrat-Forum Friday. The following is the program for the Hopkins meeting.

1:30—Saxophone quartette.
Invocation—W. G. Mathus.
1:45, Devotional—R. L. McCannon.
2:00 Address—Mrs. L. E. White, County Superintendent Children's Division.
2:25 Divisional Conferences.

Children's Division, Mrs. Will Wolverton presiding.

Cradle Roll Superintendent and Her Task—Mrs. Irvin Lock.
Needs and Equipment for Beginners—Mrs. Roy King.
Story and Pictures Used in Worship Service for Primary Children — Mrs. McNeilly.
Promotion Requirements for Juniors—Mrs. L. E. White.
Discussion—Led by Mrs. Albert Mutti.

Young Peoples' Division—Miss Tressie King presiding.

District Council Activities—Galen Turner.
Conservation of Mothers and Daughters Week—Mildred Smith.
Father and Son Week—Myron Laipple.
Training for Service—Clyde Melvin.
The Organized Class—Elna Scott.
Discussion—Led by Oliver Wilson.

Adult Division, Mrs. John Morehouse presiding.

Standardizing Organized Bible Classes—O. G. Null.
Training in Worship and Enrichment of the Devotional Life—Samuel McNeilly.
The Bible Class and Its Opportunity—Lester Ringold.
Discussion—Led by C. A. Knouse.

Administration Division, Mrs. D. A. Sargent presiding.

Co-operation With Other Divisions—O. L. Mutti.
Better Programs—John Bush.
Preparing for Service in the Church School—E. C. Wright.
Workers Conference—Lewis Jones.
Grading and Promoting—G. B. Roseberry.
Discussion—Led by Lane Douglas.

General Session.

3:25 Address—G. B. Roseberry, president Nodaway County Sunday School Association.
3:40 Business session.
Election and Installation of Officers.
The Missouri News.
Adjournment.

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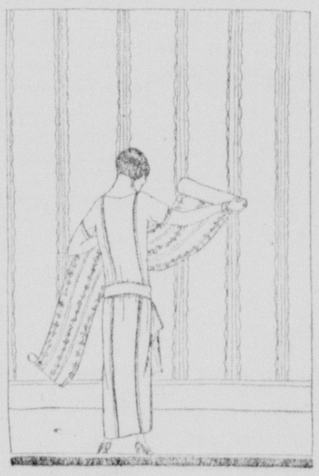

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A PLEASANT PLACE FOR GENTLE FOLKS.

RED CARNATIONS

By LAURA MONTGOMERY

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DICK took out his letter and reread it as the train neared his station.

"Doesn't it seem odd, Dick, to be engaged and yet to have been separated so long that we shall have to become acquainted all over again? I am greatly changed. I sometimes wonder if you will be terribly disappointed and wish you had waited to ratify old old love affair. I'm coming down to meet you, and so as to be sure that you know me I'm going to wear a red carnation on my suit. Sounds silly, but I want you to take a good look at me and if—oh, I can't bear to think of that contingency, but if you have any regrets, why don't speak to me."

The man's eyes were a bit misty as he read. "Nina was always so sensitive," he reflected, "sensitive and highly strung. She has brooded over her changed looks until she's lost her sense of values. Of course her recent illness would pull her down, but a few months will—"

Pressing about the great iron gates were many people waiting to welcome friends, and Dick's dark eyes roved from woman to woman in search of the face he loved. Nina would, of course, look much older, fourteen years makes a great difference.

Dick paused as his gaze fell upon a mass of color, not one carnation but a great cluster of them. He stood staring, a growing dismay turning his eager anticipation into the gayness of certainty. The girl's face was partly averted, but the profile underneath the spotted veil was palpably made up. Layers of thick white powder struggled for place with a red so false that Dick was instantly reminded of the grotesque adornments that the Africans used for certain ceremonies. A full, fringed cape with crossed bands in front swung behind her, billowed by the breeze. A great black beaver hat, rakishly on one side, adorned the masses of frizzled bobbed hair. Nina had said that she had her hair cut, but she had not said that she had, also, touched it up, and this she must have done, for her hair had, formerly, been a smooth, soft brown, while this was reddish. Even her mouth was disfigured by her passion for red, and sticky traces of lipstick formed a cupid's bow that would have been bold behind the footlights.

"Well, cutie," came a masculine voice, "waiting to meet your sweetie?"

The frizzled head nodded gayly: "He's coming home to marry me," she answered, and Dick grew sick at heart; her voice, too, had coarsened and her speech was punctuated by pauses in which she chewed gum.

"I'll be dashed if I do any such thing," decided Dick as he saw the loudly dressed stranger lean down and take a carnation from the cluster, and he turned on his heel alertly as he saw the girl turn in his direction.

He hurried out into the gray fog of the autumn day and stood on the bridge moodily. Dazedly he tried to co-ordinate Nina's letters that had been filled with beautiful thoughts, sentences that showed clearly her high ideals, and the incredible creature who had smirked flirtatiously at the stranger in the checked suit.

A small person with a pale, wistful face and blue eyes stopped and regarded him timidly: "It looks like him, allowing for the tan and—" she thought and then flushed as his absorbed gaze fell unseeingly upon her—"no, it cannot be."

A fire engine clanged past, narrowly missing a taxicab which, swerving, nearly run down the girl.

"Narrow escape," cried Dick excitedly, lifting her bodily and putting her safely beside the rail of the bridge.

"Why, Dick, is it you," came a low, soft voice that took the man straight back to the past.

And then he looked under the little velvet hat that so becomingly finished the smart blue suit with the snowy, frilled collar, and saw Nina, the old Nina of his dreams. "Why," he gasped, "you wrote that you would meet me wearing a red—"

She laughed a bit breathlessly and one tiny gloved hand indicated a small red flower among the lace frills. "There was a blockade on the car track," she explained; "that's why I'm so late. I saw you right away, but you looked so queer and stern that I didn't dare—that is—"

Dick took her arm and signaled to a taxi. "I cannot bear to have you look at her, sweetheart," he interrupted; "any one can buy a red carnation, but there is no one who can look like you—"

"Then you don't think I have changed so much?" blushed Nina as the cab whirled them away.

He regarded adoringly the soft brown locks that lent her an oddly childish look. "I love it," he said simply; "Nina, you are prettier than you were when I left you. Sometimes," he added cryptically, "mistakes make one appreciate what a man possesses," and smiled at her mystified expression.

Always in Evidence.

Baby was nodding. "The sandman's coming around," softly sang the young mother.

Just at that point a vender in the alley yelled, "Fresh spinach!"—Judge.

TAILS AND THEIR FUNCTIONS

Different Reasons for Different Movements, According to Eminent Italian Professor.

Animals' tails have various functions, Prof. Giuseppe Renato tells us in a published study of their uses, the New York Times states. The tail of a dog, says the professor, is, as we all know, an index of his psychological state; he raises and wags it, under the impression of joy, lowers it when afflicted and trails it between his legs when frightened. Why, then, may we not believe that dogs have a caudal language, and that the various movements of the tail form a method of communication between them?

The professor points out that among cattle and beasts of burden the tail is a weapon of defense against insects which, in the undomesticated state of these animals, may often have meant the saving of their lives. He says that in the early struggle for existence in cattledom and horsedom the question of survival of the fittest was purely a matter of which had the strongest tail. This resulted in the development of the muscles of the cow and horse to a remarkable degree.

When a horse is struck on the back with a whip it switches the spot with its tail. The horse knows it is a whip and not an insect, but the reflex muscles of its tail are so highly developed that it instinctively switches before the horse has time to telegraph to his brain and put in a stop order.

A cow finds it less fatiguing to keep up a perpetual side to side motion of its tail than to indulge in the nervous, energetic one which the horse upon occasion employs.

SHOW GREAT INTEREST IN MAN

Lower Animals Believed to Look Upon Human Biped as Very Much One of Themselves.

That animals look upon man as one of themselves, and not as an object entirely beyond their horizon, is evidenced by the remarkable interest and curiosity regarding him and his doings shown by wild creatures, and by their desire to make friends with him as long as their confidence has not been met by rough rebuke and persecution, which is, alas! the usual response given by the destroyer of creation to such friendly advances.

It is our own fault only, if birds all the world over are not even now on the same footing of familiarity with us as were the birds of the Monte Alverna when St. Francis of Assisi arrived there; or the birds of the Falklands and the Galapagos islands when Darwin visited them; or as the birds of southern Morocco are at the present day, or were, at least, under Mohammedan rule, a few years ago.

But even birds, which have learned at their cost that to come within reach of man is an infinitely greater risk than to approach a wildcat or a snake, will still, when they believe themselves unobserved, and while taking all necessary precautions, often give way to the feeling of curiosity with which the appearance of the long biped in unexpected localities and on unexpected occasions inspires them.—Hans Coudenhoye in the Atlantic Monthly.

Pastorals.

Pastoral literature must not be confounded with that which has for its subject the lives, the ideas, and the emotions of simple and unsophisticated mankind, far from the centers of our complex civilization. The two may be in their origin related, and they occasionally, as it were, stretch out feelers towards one another, but the pastoral or tradition lies in its essence as far from the human document of humble life as from . . . a volume of pastoral theology. . . . Thus the shepherds of pastoral are primarily and distinctively shepherds; they are not mere rustics engaged in sheepcraft as one out of many of the employments of mankind. As soon as the natural shepherd-life had found an objective setting in conscious artistic literature, it was felt that there was, after all, a difference between hoeing turnips and pasturing sheep; that the one was capable of a particular literary treatment which the other was not.—W. W. Greg.

The Proper Thing.

A man went into a bakery the other day. "I'm getting married next week," he began, "and I want to buy a wedding cake." "I suppose you know, sir," said the shopgirl, "that it's the latest thing to choose wedding cakes which harmonize with one's business or profession. For instance, an athlete would have a cup cake, a musician an oat cake, a man who gouges his friends a sponge cake, a pianist a pound cake, and so on. What, may I ask, is your calling?" "I am a doctor," the bridegroom answered. "In that case, then," said the girl, smiling, "we would of course, prescribe an angel cake."

Make the Children a Scrap-Book.

Start a historical scrap-book for the children. Put into it pictures and items of unusual interest dealing with important public characters and events. When they grow older allow the children to do their own selecting of articles and their own pasting. If encouraged in this work they will complete the book when they are grown up, and will have not only a book of much interest and information, but will have a liking for history (history which will be real and concrete to them), not developed so easily by any other method.

The Scrap Book

EASY MATTER TO EXPLAIN

Maid Had Ready Answer for Inquiry as to How the Dishes Came to Unfortunate End.

There was a loud crash and a tinkling noise as the new tea-service which Jane was carrying met the hard floor of the kitchen.

Almost immediately there was a patter of feet outside, and the kitchen door opened to admit Jane's tyrannical mistress.

The mistress gazed with dismay at the mass of debris on the floor.

"Oh, Jane, Jane," she cried. "How did it happen?"

"Lack of co-ordination between mind and muscle, ma'am," replied Jane.

WALNUT PUT TO MANY USES

Modern Science Has Discovered That No Part of the Fruit Need Be Wasted.

The walnut can be put to more uses than most people imagine. In California it has been discovered that no part of this product need be wasted.

The trade is in the hands of a Walnut Owners' association, which last year produced 18,000 tons of nuts. They have installed the most modern machinery, including a machine for cracking nuts. It can deal with 15 tons a day.

The nuts are passed through a number of metal fingers, which crack the shells without hurting the kernels.

For nuts, which are dust covered or otherwise unfit for sale without cleaning, there is another machine which removes the dirt and polishes the walnuts. This is worked by compressed air, which moves a number of brushes fitted into a long trough.

Shells, which hitherto have been regarded as waste matter, are now made into charcoal. The kernels, besides being canned, are used in many other ways. They are made into nut loaf, which is said to be an excellent substitute for roast beef! Walnut bread has also been introduced, and is becoming quite popular. Muffins, cakes, and puddings are other things made from nuts.

Copper Finds in Sweden.

Following an investigation of the recently discovered ore deposits in the Province of Vasterbotten, Sweden, the chief of the geological committee announces that the copper finds are of great importance, running at least 10 per cent copper. The largest deposit, he states, is from 180 to 200 meters long and 10 to 15 meters thick and apparently very rich. From the depth of only five meters it is expected that the ore to be taken out will yield about 1,500 tons of copper. Three forms of sulphur pyrite ores have also been located, as well as a combined zinc and sulphur ore.

Memel.

Memel, again a center of trouble, has not had a very peaceful history. It was founded as far back as 1252 by the Teutonic order, and was formerly one of the towns of the Hanseatic league. But it was not often left in peace for long periods, on account of its frontier situation, Russians, Swedes and Germans having fought for it at different times. It was again bombarded in 1915. In this country it is principally known from the fact that its name is given to certain timber of which it is the exporting center.

LETS GEORGE DO IT

"How does Lazenby play golf?"

"By proxy. He sends the caddie over the course, while he sits on the clubhouse veranda."

Couple Similarly Afflicted.

A couple, each of whom had only one leg, happily hobbled into the Lewiston (Eng.) registrar's office, where they were married last month. The bridegroom, who lost his leg at Ypres in 1917 with the West Kents appeared on crutches. The bride wore an artificial leg as the result of an accident when a child. Her infirmity was hardly noticeable.

Mountain of Sulphur.

Attention is being directed to the existence of an island in the Hebrides group which is literally a mountain of sulphur 1,600 feet high and perhaps as much as 100 square miles in base. The material of the mountain is said to be 90 per cent pure sulphur and the rest ash.

Wild Duck Traveled Far.

A wild duck which was banded in Maine was found a little more than two months later in Trinidad, 3,000 miles distant.

MAKE COBS INTO WOOD

Prof. Elton R. Darling of Milliken university, Decatur, Ill., here seen working in his laboratory, has perfected a process for manufacturing a synthetic wood from the pulp of corn cobs. He has also been able to extract several valuable products, as furfurol, xylan and sugar. Should the experiments prove the success anticipated, millions will be added to the agricultural wealth of the nation.

NEVER WILL LACK FAGS

Enough cigarettes to last a lifetime! That was the purpose for which a $10,000 purse was recently given by the students of Stanford university to Prof. James Perrin Smith of the geology department. Professor Smith once taught Herbert Hoover and Mrs. Hoover at Stanford.

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S. T. C. GRADUATES HIGH SCHOOL CLASS

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES GIVEN THIS MORNING

DR. KELLER THE SPEAKER

Large Audience Fills College Auditorium At 10 O'Clock This Morning

Eighteen students were graduated from the high school department of the State Teachers College this morning at the regular assembly hour at 10 o'clock. The graduation exercises were held in the College auditorium before a large audience.

The following was the program.

March, "Coronation" from "The Prophet," (Meyerbeer)—College orchestra.

Invocation—Dr. C. C. James.

Address—Dr. Fred Keller.

Presentation of diplomas—Dean George H. Colbert.

Music—College orchestra.

Benediction—Dr. C. C. James.

The following students received diplomas: Misses Ada Beckmon, Helen Davison, Hazel Hilsenbeck, Mary Hilsenbeck, Katherine Holt, Gladys Mendenhall, Ruth Lawrence, Dessie McElvain, May Murphy, Crystal Hall, Reah Shell, Mildred Kiser, Mrs. Clara Marshall, Mrs. Ethel Platt, Mrs. W. D. McDonald and John King, Walden LeMaster and Leland Coler.

Burr Invents New Sculpture Process

Will Reproduce Exact Features of Person on Sensitized Model—Patent Applied for.

A new device known as a "Statupho" has just been invented by George L. Burr, local author, musical composer and philosopher. Burr is spending several days in Maryville and will leave for Denver about June 1.

The new invention will revolutionize sculpturing, according to Burr, and will make it possible for a bust to be sensitized so that a photograph can be projected upon the bust and exactly reproduce the features of the subject.

In an interview this morning, Burr showed the plans which will soon be in the hands of the patent office at Washington. The subject is placed in position and a camera is slowing turned on a spindle until the subject has been entirely encircled. This makes a perfect reproduction of the eyes, hair, dimples or other distinguishable features of the person on all sides of the head. From the picture obtained by this film, a bust is then molded and sensitized by a special process.

After the bust has been made, it is placed before a camera which is revolved around the model, recording the distinct features of the person.

The photographic negative is then placed in a projector, which is similar to an enlarging machine, and the projector is then revolved around the sensitized model. The process is very similar to photographic printing or enlarging.

The finished bust is an exast reproduction of the living model, and it so closely resembles the subject that it is extremely difficult to distinguish one from the other.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Weller and daughter of Maitland visited in Maryville today.

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Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson's Picture

"TRAILING AFRICAN WILD ANIMALS"

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Special Matinees only

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Every school child should see these pictures; they are educational and truthful, and have attracted nation-wide attention as the best wild animal pictures ever filmed.

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filled with beautiful blooming plants and vines for the Beautification of Home Surroundings, especially where yard and lawn space is limited. Plants and vines for these to meet every demand for either sunny or shady exposure. Also prepared soils, fertilizers, moss baskets, boxes, vases, pots and all necessary accessories with our suggestions and advice to make your gardening a success. Select your plants now. We will hold them for you and deliver when wanted.

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Information is the only basis for intelligent purchasing. And the right way to get the greatest amount of necessary information is to read the advertisements.

Advertisements tell you what is new and good in merchandise. They reveal improvements and inventions that make your home life easier, more comfortable and more convenient. They give you information about a thousand and one things that are useful and interesting.

Every manager of a household—every member of the household who shares the responsibility for the family's welfare—should make a practice of reading the advertisements. They are daily lessons in economy.

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Fried Chicken! A few 2 lb. frys at 40c per lb., Mrs. Marion Smith, 408 North Ave. Farmers 244. M5tf

BATH TUBS—$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 560 Kane Building. M3-tf

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE stoves furniture and rugs, Case Furniture Exchange. J23tf

Alfalfa, Sudan and Cane Seed, Holt Supply Co. M1-tf

For mites I'll use Carbolineum. It lasts a year. Holt Supply Co. M3tf

SEED CORN—Iowa grown. See Smith and Braniger, Seed and Storage. A21-M20.

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Buy varnish at Holt Supply Co. M11-J2

Plants for sale—Choice tomato—Redhead, Early June, Stone, Beefsteak; Cabbage—Norsman, Wakefield, Early Flat Dutch, 65c per 100; Yellow Jersey or Nancy Hall sweet potatoes, 60c per 100; Snowball Cauliflower; sweet mangoes, 15c doz; pansies 35c. All orders prepaid or delivered to Townsends; Harry Scott, 423 S. Depot street. 11-17

FOR SALE—Golden brown reed baby carriage. Call Hanamo 448. 15-18

FOR SALE—Electric washing machine; 6 dining room chairs. Call Farmers 29-312. 12-tf

FOR SALE—One 1919 Dodge Brothers 1½ ton truck in good condition. Arnold-Sillers Motor Co. 14-19

FOR SALE—Red male hog, Thurman Carmichael. 15-17*

FOR SALE—Or rent, 6 room house with 2 lots. Farmers 128. 16-22*

Sweet potato plants, Nancy Hall, 50c hundred; yellow Jerseys 35c; tomatoes, cabbage, 50c; postage extra. John Graves, Farmers 76-12. 15-16

FOR SALE—Jersey bull, extra good breeder. Papers furnished. Guy D. Aley, Farmers 22-19. 14-16*

FOR SALE—Household furniture at private sale, including a full line. T. O. Moss, over Raines' Jewelry Store. 14-16*

MISCELLANEOUS

ALL KINDS OF BRICKWORK and concrete work. Guy Kissinger, 207 South Saunders. Hanamo 3706. A16tf.

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and repair at Armstrongs Foundry. A19tf

Store your stove with Smith and Braniger. M2-June2*

WANT to make your auto tops. Work guaranteed. Lanning Auto Top and Tire Shop, east side of square. A28-tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping; also garage. 321 S. Fillmore; Farmers 237-16. 14-16

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing or ironing. Chas. Jensen. Hanamo 221, Farmers 194. M15-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms and light housekeeping rooms. Case Furniture exchange. M15-tf

WANTED—To buy a piano and rug; must be in good condition. Call Farmers 24-0-11. 16*

WANTED—Piano tuning, graduate tuner. Five years practical experience satisfaction guaranteed. C. L. Miller 216 S. Vine. 16-18*

Wanted—Waitress, experienced or inexperienced. Bainum Hotel. 16—18

News Press Subscribers—Let me take care of your subscriptions. Call Farmers 119, or mail me your check. Will take care of it either way. N. B. Castello, News Press representative. 17-19

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, May 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 13,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 18,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 11,000.

St. Louis, May 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 17,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500.

Kansas City, May 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 12,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 6,000.

St. Joseph, May 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; top, $7.75.
SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000.
All steady.

TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per doz	18c
Butterfat, per lb	34c
Springs, per lb	25c to 30c
Hens, per lb	17c to 19c
Roosters, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese per lb.	8c
Hides per lb	7c

Nodaway Farmers on St. Joe Market

Several Nodaway County farmers were on the St. Joseph market yesterday with shipments of cattle. W. D. Burns had 22 steers and heifers weighing 834 pounds, bringing, $9.10. W. Jackson had 26 steers and heifers weighing 907 pounds, bringing $9.50. Herbert Null had 23 steers and heifers, weighing, 750 pounds, that brought $9.20.

HEIRESS TO LARGE SUM

Petromila Basgil, daughter of a coal miner employed in the Silver Creek colliery near Pottsville, Pa., has been advised through the soviet government at Moscow that a will disposing of her uncle's estate there leaves to her $750,000 in American stocks and bonds and all she must do to obtain possession is to go to Moscow and establish her identity. Miss Basgil sailed at once, saying she would return to America.

Hurt by His Own Bullet.

A highway traffic policeman had a narrow escape from death when, in shooting at the tires of a fugitive motorcar near Los Angeles, Calif., a bullet from his revolver rebounded on striking a wheel rim and grazed his forehead, causing only a slight scratch.

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Cleaners, Hatters, Dyers.

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Poultry

Vigorous pure bred S. C. Reds, good dark red color Hogan tested. Eggs utility $4.00 per hundred. Month of April pen No. 1, $1.50 per setting. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. Ed Shreve, Pickering. M6tf

S. C. R. I. eggs from reds that are red and have layed at 5 months of age, Mahood Owens and Bohm strain, $1.25, $2, $3 per setting prepaid. J. Ward Stevenson, Graham, Mo. A23-M23*

Planning the Week End Trip

SPEEDING AGAIN!! YOU'RE ALWAYS IN SUCH A BIG HURRY—I CAN'T SEE THE IDEA OF RUSHING ALONG—
I'M KEEPING UP WITH YOU DADDY
ALLRIGHT, ALLRIGHT!! I'LL WAIT HERE IN THE TURN OF THE ROAD UNTIL YOU CATCH UP TO ME— WE'LL NEVER REACH OUR DESTINATION IF YOU KEEP ON ARGUING ALL THE TIME
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AUTOMOBILE ROUTES TO LAKE RESORTS
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PARNELL

(Willing Workers).

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Slagle of Ravenwood visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Pope Sunday.

Miss Esther Long of Ravenwood spent the wee kend with Misses Lolita and Veronica Hall.

Misses Ethel Kaufman and Martha Pope spent the week end with home folks.

Miss Clara Clutter was in Maryville Friday shopping.

A. F. Hall spent Friday and Saturday visiting his mother in Trenton.

E. C. Millikan was a business visitor in Maryville Friday.

Mrs. Crowson went to St. Joseph Sunday for a short visit.

B. A. Jones went to Omaha Sunday for a few days' visit.

Chas. Wilson, wife and children of Sabetha, Kansas, spent Sunday with his mother.

C. A. Stites visited in St. Joseph Sunday.

A large crowd of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmit Miller Sunday and helped Mrs. Miller to celebrate her birthday.

Ivan Mayfield, Cecil Hall, Randolph Batt, Fred Crawford, Tom Birkenholtz and Charley Riley attended Woodman lodge at Maryville Thursday night.

Miss Clarissie Whaley of Maryville visited over Sunday with Raymond DeFreece and wife.

Dr. Conrad came up from St. Joseph to visit his parents Sunday. His little son Bobby who has been visiting here accompanied him home.

Glen Burns is at home this week taking the examinations at school.

Newt Burns and family of Bedford visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burns Sunday.

Earl Nelson of Guilford visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Zoe Dinsmore is here visiting her parents. She will leave Wednesday for Sank Center, Minn., where she has a position.

Mr. Pennicuick, Mrs. Meeker, Miss Thomas and Mrs. Minteer of Conception Junction and Mr. Fletcher Bainum and brother of Gaynor attended the District Quarterly Conference at the M. E. Church Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Snyder were here Sunday. Mr. Snyder preached the Mother's Day sermon in the afternoon.

Miss Elva Wilson spent Tuesday night with Miss Veronica Hall.

Miss Fern Faubion of near Grant City visited with Miss Mildred Payne Monday.

Hotel Arlington was the scene of a merry gathering Friday night when the Juniors entertained the Seniors at a four course dinner. The guests were entertained with music and the dinner was followed with toasts. Clifford Herndon being toast master. Lolita Hall gave "First Impressions of the Juniors." Opal Ingram read the Junior Prophesy and the Senior Prophesy was given by La Von Gabbert. Allwin Millikan talked on "What High School Has Done For Me." Zora Seyster gave "Reminiscences of a Senior." Marie Funderburk read "Jokes on the Seniors" and Nellie Hawk told "Jokes on the Juniors." Miss Davis talked on "Possibilities of the Juniors and Seniors."

Grandma Nelson returned Monday from a visit with her granddaughter, Mrs. John Housten at Burlington Junction.

Miss Opal Huff of Sheridan visited Miss Mildred Dunlap over Sunday.

Carroll Rhodes of Mound City spent Sunday here with friends.

The 8th grade gave a farewell party in their room from 5 o'clock till 8 Monday evening. Music and games were played and supper consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, radishes, and oranges were served. Those present were Mrs. Margie Morris, Miss Hazel Miller, Kathleen Jones, Emil Cox, Goldie Prather, Kewpie Jones, Rachel Ingram, Raymond Stites, Homer Sharp, George Miller, Lillian Cox, Golda Broadbent, Berneice Sharp, Aletha Harris, Dorothy Cox, Cora Taylor, Lucille Herndon, Georgia Thompson, Albert Welch, Lawrence Logan, Minnie Kaufman.

Mrs. Elverda David is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Theodore Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Crenshaw are visiting this week in Emporia, Kan.

Mrs. Della Herndon and children visited at the Tom Dukes home Sunday.

Grover Dinsmore and family of Maysville visited his parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Felton were called to Columbia Tuesday by the serious illness of their son, Horace.

Joe Junior Matteson invited the little folks in the 1st and 2nd Grades to help him celebrate his 7th birthday anniversary Tuesday evening. Twenty-nine of the little floks were present and had a fine time playing games. Ice cream, angel food, candy and gum were served by Mrs. Matteson to the delight of all present.

Avery McKeen and Meredith Millikan are both suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

LATE TELEGRAPH NEWS

St. Louis, May 16.—An organized movement is under way in the state of Missouri to gain state nad national recognition for the National Society World War Registrars in their movement to have the highways of the country commemorated to the soldiers who lost their lives during the late war.

James E. Kinkead, the Missouri state commander of the American Legion, is sending out a bulletin to the legion posts of the state asking their co-operation in every way possible in the planting of trees and marking of each with a gold star along the St. Louis-Kansas City gold star crossroads.

Mayor Frank H. Cromwell of Kansas City has accepted membership on the Gold Star Highway Advisory Board of the National Society of World War Registrars for the state of Missouri and will aid in creating a National Gold Star Crossroads centering in St. Louis.

Mayor Henry W. Kiel of St. Louis has written an urgent appeal to the governors of the 48 states inviting their co-operation in the highway movement and asking them to route their highways to this city, making it the Gold Star Crossroads center of America.

Fifty organizations of men and women in this city have unanimously endorsed the move to make St. Louis the central city. Hon. B. F. Piepmeir, state highway engineer, has accepted the chairmanship of the National Board of Directing Engineers for the National Gold Star Crossroads system.

Norman, Okla., May 16—Dr. Stratton Duluth Brooks, president of the University of Oklahoma who will become president of the University of Missouri on July 1 is a native Missourian. He was born at Everett, Cass county, Missouri in 1869.

Dr. Brooks was graduated from the University of Michigan and the Michigan State Normal College. Later he received his masters degree from Harvard University.

For a time Dr. Brooks served as principal of the high schools at Danville, Illinois, Adrain, Michigan and La Salle, Illinois. He was assistant professor of education and high school inspector at the University of Illinois from 1899 to 1902. He later served as assistant superintendent of schools in Boston and Cleveland and became president of the state university here in 1912.

Paris, Mo., May 16—Governor Hyde Mayor Kiel of St. Louis and Mayor Cromwell of Kansas City have been invited to act as judges of the old fiddlers contest to take place here Thursday May 24, R. A. Guthrie of Macon, who managed the fiddlers contest of Macon last year also has been invited to attend as referee in event the judges disagree. More than twenty contesting fiddlers have signed to enter the contest and nearly as many more are expected to enter before the date of the contest. As an amusing feature of the occasion, it has been suggested that Mayor Cromwell of Kansas City and "Jack" Blanton of the Monroe county appeal stage a game of marbles on the public square.

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What do you want to sell? List it now!

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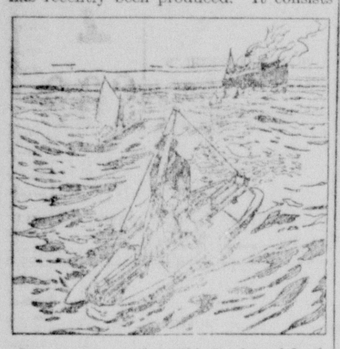
WHAT THE WORLD IS DOING

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE ©

Shipwreck Victims May "Walk" to Land

A one-man life-saving device with which shipwreck victims may "walk" to land has recently been produced. It consists



of two pontoons that slide back and forth alternately in a rigid frame, the operator placing a foot in each one, standing erect, of course, and grasping the handles of a steering device. As the pontoons are worked, paddles on the bottom aid the walker, folding up so as to offer no resistance on the forward slide. In windy weather a sail assists the walker.

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¶ Street cars equipped with roller bearings are soon to appear in St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn., and it is expected that this departure will make the operation of the cars almost as noiseless as eight-cylinder automobiles. In addition it is believed 12 to 15 per cent on power will be saved and service speeded up.

All Is Not Ice That Glistens

Among the many ingenious methods of producing "atmosphere" in motion pictures, one of the most novel is using paraffin in taking scenes that call for floating ice. The paraffin is spread over the water in hot melted form, and when it cools—which is almost instantly—it looks as much like ice as that substance itself, especially in the motion pictures. Thus, a movie director can produce a setting for an Arctic scene—ice floes and everything—on a river or lake in sunny California.

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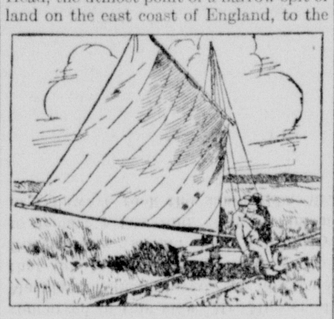
Sail Hand Cars on Railroad

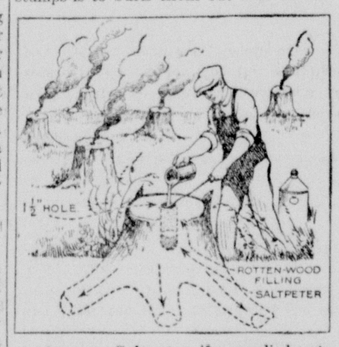
Sailors should be perfectly at home on an English-coast railroad on which small hand cars are rigged with sails. This novel means of transportation is used by battery officers and men, lighthouse and coast guards, and visitors, to travel from Spurn Head, the utmost point of a narrow spit of land on the east coast of England, to the



town of Kilnsea, about four miles away. These "sail" cars make good time.

Burning Out Stumps Effectively

A good method of clearing land of stumps is to burn them out with the aid



of saltpeter. Saltpeter, if so applied as to penetrate into the heart of a stump properly, will in a year's time reach down to the very ends of the roots. During the summer, when the stumps are thoroughly dry, drill a 1½-in. hole, about 3 or 4 in. deep, in the center of the stump, as indicated. Into this hole put 3 tablespoonfuls of saltpeter; then close the hole, with decayed wood and dirt. During the following summer, dig out the dirt, fill the hole with kerosene, and set the stump on fire. It will burn slowly but surely, and will keep on burning under the ground until ever piece of root is consumed. The action of the saltpeter makes a slow-burning match of the fibers of the roots, and carries the fire wherever it has penetrated. This method eliminates the possibility of roots being left in the ground to catch on plowshares.

FIFTH A GRADERS WORK 2 PROJECTS

METHODS OF TRANSPORTATION AND JAPAN ARE STUDIED

PUPILS MAKE BOOKLETS

Forty-eight Students Derive Much Benefit From Work Directed By Miss Pearl Rinehart.

Two very interesting, as well as instructive projects have been worked out by the pupils of the fifth A grade, this semester. Miss Pearl Rinehart who teaches the fifth A grade, has supervised the work on the projects. The children first completed a project on the methods of transportation. After they had finished this project, they took up a project on Japan.

The project on transportation was instructive and valuable, to the pupils, as well as to an outsider. The subject of transportation makes a very good subject to be undertaken as a project. This subject gives a wide scope for development into a study of the kind that the class took up.

In the study of this project, twelve important factors in transportation were analyzed. These were the necessity for transportation, the history of transportation on land before the invention of the locomotive, the history of the railroad, the materials used for railroad construction, the early history of transportation on water, the invention of the steamboat, the great success of the steamboat, government aid to transportation on water, steamboat routes, canals, a study of the Erie canal, highways, automobile and airplane transportation. The number of topics studied readily indicates the extensiveness of such a project.

These twelve topics were primarily concerned with two means of transportation. These were land transportation and water transportation. Under land transportation would come the different methods such as carrying, use of animals, primitive vehicles, carriages, autos, electric lines, railroads and airplanes. Water transportation would contain the subjects of primitive boats, canoes, rafts, sailboats and modern steamships.

Also, in the study of the two principal means of transportation, would come the routes. On land this would be roads, trails, highways and railroad routes. As to water routes, they would include canals, and steamship routes. The study of routes also included a study of safety devices which are essential in transportation. The pupils studied the different trail markings, which designate the automobile highways. They studied about the buoys, lighthouses, lightships and other devices to make ocean travel safe. They also studied about the work of the coast guard service. The study of routes included discussions of the highways around Maryville, and how built and how they might be improved.

The study of the development of travel was most interesting. The pupils traced the history and development of the different means of transportation. Beginning with the primitive raft, canoe, or cart, they traced the development through the different stages, until they reached the most modern means of travel. Some of the students made an interesting poster, depicting the improvement in the manner of transportation. This poster illustrates how, as transportation facilities get better, travel becomes faster.

Another important factor in the study of transportation was the invention and manufacture of modern machines for travel. The pupils studied the life of the different inventors, who invented the steamship, the locomotive and other machines. They learned of the obstacles that these men had to overcome, and what gave them the ideas for their inventions. The class studied of the manufacture of the transportation devices. They learned how they were made and where the material was obtained. They learned of the making of the great canals, the railroads, and highways and the difficulties that the men who made these great pieces of engineering must conquer.

The class also took up the subject of government aid to transportation. They learned how the government aided the building of railroads and canals.

The application of this project was carried on by means of compositions, discussions, posters and lantern slides. This project included other school subjects, such at reading, language, arithmetic, penmanship, spelling, geography and art.

Each student made a little booklet which contained compositions on the subject of transportation. These compositions dealt with the subjects already mentioned as the general topics. The compositions were illustrated with drawings by the pupils. Some of the students obtained material from outside sources, and put it in their notebooks. One notebook had several pages of colored pictures of the most prominent highway trail markings. The pupils also made posters dealing with the development of travel or kindred subjects.

The project on Japan was carried on in much the same manner as the travel project. The pupils wrote compositions on the conditions and customs in Japan. The class made a Japanese house model, and furnished it with the kind of furnishings that one would see in Japan.

The members of the class are as follows: Clyde Bell, George Belt Arthur Brewer, Eldon Broyles, Thomas Eagle, Junior Gray, John Henry Heath, Raymond Hopp, Richard Litsch, Judd Nicholas, William Padgette, William Stilwell, Harlan Strong, Gerald Stults, Rawlings Tindall, John Thornhill, Leland Thornhill, Elwood Williams, Kenneth Rinehart, Robert Carlson, Donald Wilcox Shirley Bennett, Virginia Bennett Thelma Bramble, Maude Bryant, Beatrice Cox, Eloise Curl, Marie Davis Bertha Clair Garten, Dorothy Glenn, Opal Hawkins, Viola Henderson, Mildred Hotchkin, Iola Hull, Mildred Jensen, Helen Kelley, Virginia Larmar, Dorothy Lemon, Mildred Lemon, Arminda McConkey, Laura Jean Murdock, Ruby O'Banion, Ruth Pixler, Nellie Roberts, Eudora Smith, Francis Still, Ivandell Walker, and Ruth Cox.

Mrs. Otis To Excelsior Springs

Mrs. Ed Otis left this morning for Excelsior Springs where she will take treatment for rheumatism for two weeks.

Frost May Come Tonight.

J. R. Brink, local weather observer has received warning of a frost for to night.

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REAL AMERICAN BOY

A boy scout for the country to be proud of is Thomas McConville, seventeen years old, the ranking Eagle boy scout of Washington who has won 54 of the possible 62 badges which a boy scout can earn by certain designated accomplishments to his credit

Ex-Virginia Governor Speaks on Coal Mines

New York, May 16.—Warning the country that the miners are contemplating a nationalization of the coal industry, the Hon. John J. Cornwell, formerly Governor of West Virginia, delivered an analytical address on the industry today at the convention of the National Association of Manufacturers, at the Waldorf-Astoria. He said it was a question whether they would make the effort at the expiration of their present contract or wait until later.

Discussing the broad situation, Mr. Cornwell said:

"To have a steady and ample supply of fuel, of coal, for there are comparatively few industries that use any other kind of fuel, two things are necessary:

"First, to have a steady and uninterrupted production.

"Second, ample and uninterrupted distribution, which is transportation.

"Unfortunately, during the past year we did not have either of these things, consequently the fuel supply was irregular and insufficient at times but while there was great inconvenience and considerable loss, there was but little actual suffering."

The patrons of ward two of the Pioneer school surprised the teacher, L. L. King, by bringing in a number of baskets of food, on the last day of school. Mr. King will again be at the Pioneer school next year.

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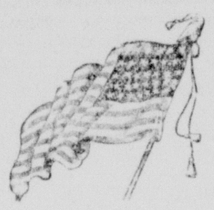

Shall This Government Live or Die?

The firmness and independence of the judiciary must be regarded as the citadel of the public justice and the public security.—Alexander Hamilton, The Federalist, No. LXXVIII.

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The Nationalistic Theory of the Federal Judiciary

When the constitutional convention was debating the judiciary plan, with particular reference to the manner in which the judges should be appointed, Dr. Franklin argued their selection should be left to the bar; for, he said, the lawyers would be certain to choose the ablest of their number in order to get rid of them, and thus fall heir to their practice.

This entertaining suggestion was not adopted; the appointment of justices of the supreme court and of judges of the inferior federal courts was vested in the President. There was considerable opposition in the convention to a strong judiciary, and as its powers remained long in controversy, and are frequently challenged to this day, we will find it useful to examine its history and development. We already have found that the American judiciary is an innovation in government. No European nation had development anything like it, and it is no wonder that the convention found it startling. In particular the power of congress to establish federal courts in the states roused much apprehension. Mr. Butler of South Carolina feared that the states would revolt at such an encroachment. Even supposing such courts would be useful, he advised against the venture. "We must," he said, "follow the example of Solon, who gave the Athenians not the best government he could devise, but the best they would receive."

Mr. Rutledge of South Carolina, afterwards appointed chief justice, but never confirmed, was for limiting the federal judiciary to a single supreme court, and urged that state federal courts, especially if appointed by the President, would be resented by the people as an institution of monarchy. Mr. Madison, while for a strong judiciary, was for vesting the appointment of judges in the senate. Mr. Martin of Maryland foresaw clashes of jurisdiction between state and federal courts if the latter were instituted. Mr. Randolph of Virginia felt that the state courts could not be trusted to enforce the federal laws where they came in conflict with the state laws.

Of late years teh question frequently has been raised as to whether it was the intent of the framers of the Constitution that the supreme court should have the power to set aside acts of congress. On this point the debates in the convention throw considerable light. In the Virginia plan drawn by Mr. Randolph there was provision for a council of revision "with authority to examine every act of congress, before it shall operate." This council was consist of the President and "a convenient number of the national judiciary." This plan for a revisionary power to be associated with the executive emerged several times but each time was defeated. Mr. Madison then proposed that both the President and the supreme court should have a veto on acts of congress. Mr. Wilson of Pennsylvania urged "that the judiciary ought to have an opportunity to remonstrate against encroachments" of the legislative power. Mr. Ellsworth of Connecticut (afterwards chief justice), concurred in this view. Mr. Mercer of Maryland "disapproved the doctrine that the judges, as expositors of the Constitution, should have authority to declare a law void." Mr. Dickinson of Delaware took the same side. Mr. Gorham and Mr. Gerry, both of Massachusetts, opposed any mixing of the legislative and judicial powers. Judges, Mr. Gerry said, ought never to be legislators. Gouverneur Morris of Pennsylvania felt that some check on legislative acts was necessary. There would be times, he said, when congress would perforce yield to popular demands for emissions of paper money, largesses to the people, cancellation of debts and such unwise legislation. He showed that English judges, though they could not set aside laws of parliament, could, as members of that body and of the king's privy council, help make them.

It was in this debate that Luther Martin of Maryland, an able lawyer and afterwards the defender of Aaron Burr in his trial for treason, made the statement, "As to the constitutionality of laws, that point will come before the judges in their official character." Martin opposed the association of the judges with the executive and afterwards opposed the Constitution itself, because he thought it did not guarantee the equality of the states. Hamilton's view, as he later clearly indicated in "The Federalist" (No. LXXVIII), was that the jurisdiction of the supreme court extended over acts of congress where their repugnancy to the Constitution was involved.

On the vote on Mr. Madison's motion to give the supreme court a veto only three states supported it. Eight voted against it.

But the various propositions to associate the judiciary with the executive in a revisionary or veto power, sufficiently indicate that the idea of the supreme court checking the power of congress was not foreign to the mind of the convention.

After the supreme court was established the fear of its powers did, however, become a consideration in political controversy, and on several occasions congress and the executive have sought to put restraints upon it. The first supreme court consisted of five members. After ten years the number was reduced to four. Jefferson, as we shall see, suspended its sittings. In 1866, congress, to keep President Johnson from filling a vacancy on the bench, reduced the number of associate justices. In 1870, the court on which there were two vacancies, declared the legal tender act unconstitutional. President Grant, thereupon filled the vacancies and the full court reversed the previous decision.

The court always has been firm for its prerogatives. President Washington sought to consult it on laws previous to signing them, but the court refused to express an opinion, holding it could act only when a case was before it for judicial decision. On the same theory it has frowned on collusive or friendly suits brought to settle points of law, although it is pretty well established that the famous case of Peck vs. Fletcher, arising from the Georgia land conspiracy and in which Chief Justice Marshall fixed the law of fraud and contract, was such a case. In the 134 years of the supreme court's existence there have been only nine chief justices: John Jay, Oliver Ellsworth, John Marshall, Roger B. Taney, Salmon P. Chase, Morrison R. Waite, Melville W. Fuller, Edward D. White and William Howard Taft.

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A Mark Twain Book Month Is Suggested

Moberly, Mo., May 16.—A "Mark Twain Book Month" to be observed in Missouri and throughout the United States during the month of August, was suggested at a meeting of the officers of the Mark Twain State Park Association held here Sunday.

During the week of Sept. 2-8, the followers of the Missouri humorist urge that Mark Twain programs be fostered in the schools and by literary clubs, chambers of commerce and other organizations.

Sept. 16-22 will be "memorial park week," and a financial campaign to secure funds needed for the establishment of the park will be launched.

Returns to Kansas City

Mrs. Charles Campbell left this afternoon for her home in Kansas City after spending a few days with her sisters, Mrs. C. D. Hooker and Mrs. J. M. Manley, and her brother, S. H. Townsend, and other relatives.

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With ROY STEWART
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